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"Assembly," approved April 23, 1872, which act provides that said laws shall be divided into "two series or parts, one of said "parts to contain all the general or public laws of the session, and "the other part to contain all the private, local, and temporary laws "with the joint resolutions and memorials." Said act further provides that "the chapters of each part shall be numbered separately "in the order of their approval."

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ED WRIGHT,

Secretary of State.

May 31, 1872. **361329**

